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FOLLOWING IS AN EMBASSY TRANSLATION OF THE JOINT
DECLARATION SIGNED BY BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT GEISEL AND
CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT IN BONN ON MARCH 10.

BEGIN TEXT:

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY,

HELMUT SCHMIDT, AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL
REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL, ERNESTO GEISEL,

REMINDFUL OF THE SPIRIT OF THE TRADITIONAL
FRIENDSHIP THAT MARKS THE RELATIONS BETWEEN
THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND BRAZIL;

AWARE OF THE USEFULNESS OF PAST TRUSTFUL
COOPERATION BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES;

AWARE OF THE ADVANTAGES RESULTING FOR BOTH
COUNTRIES FROM AN INTENSIFIED AND BALANCED
EXCHANGE IN ALL FIELDS;

CONFIRMING THEIR COMMITMENT TO THE OBJECTIVES
AND PRINCIPLES LAID DOWN IN THE STATUTES OF
THE UNITED NATIONS;

IN VIEW OF THE CLAIM OF ALL COUNTRIES TO
ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT; AND

ENDEAVORING FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN ALL STATES
IN THE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, CULTURAL AS WELL AS
SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL FIELDS ON THE
BASIS OF EQUAL RIGHTS AND FOR THE WELFARE
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HAVE RESOLVED THE FOLLOWING JOINT DECLARATION ON THE
OCCASION OF PRESIDENT GEISEL'S OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY (MARCH 6-10, 1978):

(1) BOTH SIDES ARE AGREED IN THE INTENTION TO PERFECT
AND DEEPEN THEIR MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION
AND TO INTENSIFY THEIR EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON MATTERS
OF MUTUAL INTEREST ON THE BASIS OF THE FIRM AND
TRADITIONALLY FRIENDLY RELATIONS THAT LINK THEM. THEY
STRESS THE USEFULNESS OF A CONTINUOUS DIALOGUE BETWEEN
GNADGA PERSONALITIES OF BOTH COUNTRIES, ESPECIALLY
THE IMPORTANCE OF REGULAR MEETINGS OF BOTH FOREIGN
MINISTERS. THEY CONFIRM THEIR COMMON DETERMINATION TO
EXPAND AND INTENSIFY ON ALL LEVELS THE CONTACTS AND
CONSULTATIONS THAT HAVE BECOME A FIRM COMPONENT OF
THE COOPERATION BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES.

THEY STRESS THE SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE COOPERATION
BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES, ESPECIALLY IN THE UNITED
NATIONS AND IN OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND
CONFERENCES, AND THEY AGREE TO STRENGTHEN AND EXPAND

THIS COOPERATION THROUGH CONSULTATIONS.

(2) BOTH SIDES STRESS THE IMPORTANCE THEY ATTACH TO THE EXPANSION AND DEEPENING OF THE ECONOMIC, INDUSTRIAL, SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION THAT CONSTITUTES ONE OF THE PILLARS OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND BRAZIL.

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THEY JUDGE POSITIVELY THE RESULTS OF THEIR PAST COOPERATION, STRESS THEIR READINESS TO DEVOTE SPECIAL ATTENTION, ALSO IN THE FUTURE, TO THE EXTENSION OF

THEIR ECONOMIC RELATIONS AND TO THE INTENSIFICATION
OF THEIR INDUSTRIAL, SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL
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THEY NOTE WITH SATISFACTION THAT THE EXCHANGE OF GOODS
BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES HAS DEVELOPED POSITIVELY. THEY
STRESS THE NEED FOR FURTHER ACTIVE COOPERATION TO
FURTHER IMPROVE THE STRUCTURE OF THE EXCHANGE OF GOODS
AND TO INCREASE THE VOLUME OF THE TRADE BETWEEN BOTH
COUNTRIES.

THEY FURTHERMORE RECOGNIZE THE IMPORTANCE TO BE
ATTACHED TO RELATIONS
BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY, THE
DEVELOPMENT OF WHICH THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, AS A
MEMBER COUNTRY OF THE COMMUNITY, WILL SUPPORT WITHIN
THE LIMITS OF ITS POSSIBILITIES.

BOTH SIDES APPRECIATE PAST PROGRESS IN THE FIELD OF
THEIR INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION AND ARE CONVINCED THAT
LONG-TERM AND BROADLY CONCEIVED ECONOMIC PROJECTS ARE
OF SPECIAL IMPORTANCE TO THE INTENSIFICATION OF THEIR
ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION. IN THIS CONTEXT,
TOO, THE ACTIVITIES OF THE GERMAN-BRAZIL MIXED
COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION ARE OF CONTINUALLY
GROWING IMPORTANCE.

(3) IN ASSESSING THE PRESENT STATE OF THEIR ECONOMIC
RELATIONS AND THE PERSPECTIVES FOR THE LATTER, BOTH
SIDES NOTE THAT, NOTWITHSTANDING THEIR FAVORABLE
DEVELOPMENT, NOT ALL POSSIBILITIES EXISTING IN THIS
FIELD HAVE THUS FAR BEEN UTILIZED.

THEY EXPRESS THEIR SPECIAL INTEREST IN, AND READINESS
FOR, SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN
COMPANIES. THEY ALSO PROPOSE TO PROMOTE THEIR
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COOPERATION IN THIRD COUNTRY MARKETS, ESPECIALLY IN
THE CONSTRUCTION OF INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES AND IN
PROJECTS FOR THE ECONOMIC INFRASTRUCTURE.

BOTH SIDES ALSO STRESS THE NEED FOR A MAXIMAL PROMOTION
OF COOPERATION PROJECTS. ACCORDINGLY, THEY WILL CON-

TINUE THEIR EFFORTS TO EXAMINE, WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE COMPETENCIES AND POSSIBILITIES, ALL PROBLEMS THAT IMPEDE THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR ECONOMIC COOPERATION.

(4) BOTH SIDES NOTE WITH SATISFACTION THE FAVORABLE DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR COOPERATION WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE AGREEMENT ON TECHNICAL COOPERATION OF NOVEMBER 30, 1963, AND OF THE AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION IN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT OF JUNE 9, 1969, WHICH COOPERATION THEY FOLLOW WITH SPECIAL ATTENTION. THEY EXPRESS THE DESIRE FURTHER TO INTENSIFY THIS COOPERATION.

BOTH SIDES ARE MAKING EFFORTS TO INSURE THAT ACCESS TO SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT IS MADE EASIER FOR ALL NATIONS.

THEY POINT TO THE WORK OF THE GERMAN-BRAZIL MIXED SCIENTIFIC-TECHNOLOGICAL COMMISSION WHICH THEY INTEND TO SUPPORT AS EFFECTIVELY AS POSSIBLE IN THE FUTURE AS WELL.

(5) BOTH SIDES, DETERMINED TO COOPERATE IN THE NUCLEAR SPHERE EXCLUSIVELY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES, NOTE WITH PARTICULAR SATISFACTION THE ADVANCED STAGE OF SUCH COOPERATION THAT IS MADE POSSIBLE BY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF THE PEACEFUL USE OF NUCLEAR ENERGY OF JUNE 27, 1975, ON THE BASIS OF AN EFFECTIVE POLICY OF NON-UNCLASSIFIED

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PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

(6) BOTH SIDES NOTE WITH SATISFACTION THAT THE MANIFOLD AND INTENSIVE GERMAN-BRAZILIAN CULTURAL RELATIONS HAVE CONTINUALLY DEVELOPED ON THE BASIS OF THE CULTURAL AGREEMENT OF JUNE 9, 1969, AND OF THE ADDITIONAL AGREEMENTS IN THE SPHERE OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE. LIKE THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION

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BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES, THESE RELATIONS, WHICH ARE
BASED UPON THE HISTORICALLY CLOSE TIES BETWEEN BOTH
NATIONS, ARE OF INCREASING IMPORTANCE.

BOTH SIDES DECLARE THEIR READINESS HENCEFORTH
TO PROMOTE AND EXPAND THEIR COOPERATION
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AND DIALOGUE IN THE CULTURAL, EDUCATIONAL AND
SCIENTIFIC FIELDS.

(7) IN ASSESSING THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION BOTH
GOVERNMENTS CONFIRM THEIR DETERMINATION TO ABIDE BY
THEIR POLICY OF SECURING PEACE, STRENGTHENING
INTERNATIONAL SECURITY, AND PROMOTING INTERNATIONAL

COOPERATION. THEY EMPHASIZE THAT THE POLICY OF DETENTE HAS TO BE INDIVISIBLE AND UNIVERSAL AND HAS TO BE FURTHER INTENSIFIED. THEY ENERGETICALLY REJECT ALL ATTEMPTS TO FIX ZONES OF INFLUENCE.

THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL EMPHATICALLY ADVOCATE THE PRINCIPLES OF SOVEREIGNTY, THE EQUALITY OF THE STATES, AND NON-INTERFERENCE IN DOMESTIC AFFAIRS AS WELL AS THE EXCLUSION OF FORCE AND THREAT WITH FORCE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. THEY UNMISTAKABLY ADVOCATE A PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF INTERNATIONAL CONFLICTS BY WAY OF NEGOTIATION, ARBITRATION OR OTHER PEACEFUL MEANS LAID DOWN IN THE STATUTES OF THE UNITED NATIONS. BOTH SIDES ENERGETICALLY ADVOCATE EFFECTIVE MEASURES OF DISARMAMENT, INCLUDING THE NUCLEAR FIELD, UNDER STRICT AND EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL. THEY CONSIDER SUCH MEASURES TO BE A CONTRIBUTION TOWARD DETENTE AND STRENGTHENING INTERNATIONAL SECURITY. THEY ARE READY TO RENDER A CONSTRUCTIVE CONTRIBUTION FOR THE FORTHCOMING SPECIAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS ON DISARMAMENT, AND THEY WILL COOPERATE IN THIS SENSE.

(8) BOTH SIDES CONSIDER THE UNITED NATIONS TO BE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE AND UNCLASSIFIED

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FOR STRENGTHENING INTERNATIONAL SECURITY, AND THEY DEEM THE UNITED NATIONS TO BE THE MOST IMPORTANT FORUM FOR WORLD-WIDE COOPERATION. THEY EMPHATICALLY ADVOCATE THAT THE ROLE OF THE UNITED NATIONS BE STRENGTHENED AND FURTHER DEVELOPED. THEY AGREE THAT WORLD-WIDE COOPERATION IN STRENGTHENING HUMAN RIGHTS IN EVERY RESPECT IS ONE OF THE MOST PROMINENT GOALS OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

(9) BOTH SIDES AGREE ON THE NEED FOR FURTHER INTENSIFYING INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN WORKING OUT EFFECTIVE MEASURES DESIGNED TO INSURE SAFETY IN CIVIL AVIATION AND TO PREVENT AND FIGHT PIRACY IN THE AIR AND THE TAKING OF HOSTAGES, ESPECIALLY IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

(10) BOTH SIDES ARE CONVINCED THAT FURTHER ECONOMIC PROGRESS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, BOTH IN THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND IN THE INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES, CAN ONLY BE INSURED BY WORLD-WIDE COOPERATION.

IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE ECONOMIC IMBALANCE BETWEEN THE

DEVELOPING AND INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES, BOTH SIDES WILL
CLOSELY COOPERATE IN FURTHER ADVOCATING THE

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REALIZATION OF A JUST AND BALANCED INTERNATIONAL
ECONOMIC SYSTEM. IN ORDER TO BRING ABOUT A JUST
RECONCILIATION OF INTERESTS BETWEEN THE INDUSTRIAL AND
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, THEY DEEM IT NECESSARY FOR THE
INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES MORE WIDELY TO OPEN THEIR
MARKETS FOR THE PRODUCTS OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES,
NOT ONLY FOR RAW MATERIALS BUT ALSO FOR FINISHED AND
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SEMI-FINISHED PRODUCTS. THEY HOLD THAT EFFORTS IN THIS DIRECTION HAVE TO BE MADE BY ALL INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES IN THE WEST AS WELL AS IN THE EAST. IN THIS CONTEXT, THEY EXPRESS THEIR CONCERN OVER THE REVIVAL OF PROTECTIONIST MEASURES.

THEY HOLD THAT A DURABLE ECONOMIC PARTNERSHIP ON THE BASIS OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE MARKET ECONOMY AND WITH DUE REGARD FOR THE PARTICULAR SITUATION OF EACH COUNTRY PROMOTES THE RECONCILIATION OF INTERESTS SOUGHT ON THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL.

IN THIS SENSE THE TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY CAN BECOME A FACTOR OF FUNDAMENTAL IMPORTANCE; BOTH SIDES STRESS THE EXEMPLARY NATURE OF THE BILATERAL COOPERATION BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY.

BONN, MARCH 10, 1978

HELMUT SCHMIDT,	ERNESTO GEISEL,
CHANCELLOR	PRESIDENT
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